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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application in the name of:

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for **ELECTRODE-CONNECTOR PROTECTING CAP AND ELECTRODE-CONNECTOR INCLUDING THE SAME**. The application comprises a 14-page specification including 12 claims (2 independents) and Abstract, 4 sheets of drawings (Figs. 1-6), and a Declaration and Power of Attorney.

The above-mentioned applicants qualify for small entity status.

Also accompanying this application for filing is:

- (1) Assignment document, cover sheet and \$40.00 fee for recordation of Assignment;
- (2) Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 and copies of references; and
- (3) A certified copy of Korean Application No. 2003-93142, filed December 18, 2003, the priority of which is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.

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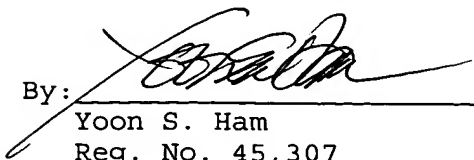
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